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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO ITALIAN APPROACH AT REQUEST OF DRV RE
PARIS ACCORDS

REF: (A) ROME 2855

(B) VINE/CARRARA-CAGNI MEMCON OF MARCH 1

(C) SAIGON 2821

1. ON MARCH 18 RESPONSIBLE ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL INFORMED US THAT MINISTRY HAD RECEIVED TELEGRAM FROM ITALIAN EMBASSY WASHINGTON ON MARCH 16 WHICH CONTAINED IN ESSENCE US RESPONSE TO ITALIAN DE'MARCHE AT DRV RE PARIS ACCORDS.

2. ACCORDING SOURCE, US REPLY WAS TEXT OF MARCH 14 US NOTE TO SIGNATORIES OF PARIS ACCORDS GIVING US VIEWS ON CURRENT VIETNAMESE SITUATION. OFFICIAL SAID ITALIANS WERE TOLD IN WASHINGTON THAT NOTE WAS NOT RPT NOT DIRECT RESPONSE TO ITALIAN DE'MARCHE, BUT COVERED POINTS MADE BY DRV THROUGH ITALIANS. OFFICIAL EXPRESSED PERSONAL VIEW THAT US NOTE PROVIDED ADEQUATE BASIS FOR ITALIAN REPLY ON BEHALF OF US TO NORTH VIETNAMESE HERE.

3. OFFICIAL NOTED THAT DEPARTMENT HAD ASKED THAT ITALIANS CONVEY US VIEWS TO NORTH VIETNAMESE, SINCE LATTER HAD CHOSED TO USE ITALIANS IN SIMILAR FASHION. SOURCE SAID US REQUEST IS UNDER
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STUDY WITHIN MINISTRY, AND HE WAS CONFIDENT THAT ITALIANS WOULD

COMPLY BY TAKING EARLY OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK WITH DRV REP HERE ON
BASIS OF US NOTE.VOLPE

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